

**18B.04 PESTICIDE IMPACT ON ENVIRONMENT.**

The commissioner shall:

(1) determine the impact of pesticides on the environment, including the impacts on surface water and groundwater in this state;

(2) develop best management practices involving pesticide distribution, storage, handling, use, and disposal; and

(3) cooperate with and assist other state agencies and local governments to protect public health and the environment from harmful exposure to pesticides.

**History:** *1987 c 358 s 46; 1989 c 326 art 5 s 16*